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Statement of Substance of Interview

On July 8, 2006, the undersigned called the Examiner about the Office Action of June 15, 2006 relating to canceled claims 1-5. The Examiner said that he would talk to his supervisor and get back to the undersigned.

On July 10, 2006, the Examiner kindly left a voice mail message for the undersigned and said that a new Office Action would be prepared and that the time period for response would be restarted.

(There was no interview on July 17, 2006, as indicated on the Interview Summary form. The correct date of the interview is July 8, 2006.)

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I hereby certify that this correspondence and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on <u>August 14</u>, 2006 to 1-571-273-8300 by applicant's attorney, Robert J. Jacobson.